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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Ernesto J. Tongo et al.

Entitled:

CIRCUIT BREAKER  
EMPLOYING AN ILLUMINATED  
OPERATING HANDLE

Serial No. 10/650,342

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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 1, 2004, please amend the  
above-captioned Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which  
begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.